

# CITY OF NEWTON, MASSACHUSETTS

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## ADDENDUM #1

### INVITATION FOR BID #11-55

### ANNUAL – S&D BRASS FITTINGS & VALVES

THIS ADDENDUM IS TO: **Answer the following Questions:**

Q1. Have a couple of questions in regards to BID 11-55, Page 9 in regards to the bid package under the contract Total it says PRICES SHALL BE: FOB DESTINATION. NO SUBSTITUTES ALLOWED When referring to no substitutes allow can you please tell us are you referring to the list request?

**A1. YES, “no substitutes” is making reference to the list of quantities listed on pages 6 through 9 of the bid.**

Q2. Little confused here. Page 4 of the bid Contract ARTICLE 5 – ALTERNATES It request we note any alternates. In short are we allowed to quote alternates? Please can you get back to us in regards?

**A2. The city has standardized its use of brass fitting to Ford or Mueller. Therefore, no Alternates will be accepted for the items listed on pages 6 through 9 unless Ford or Mueller do not provide such item.**

All other terms and conditions of this bid remain unchanged

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THIS ADDENDUM ON YOUR BID FORM**

Thank you.



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